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PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

Docket Number (Optional) NSO-001.01

First named inventor: Wai Kat Liu	
Application No.: 09/858,334	Art Unit: 2641
Filed: May 15, 2001	Examiner: Not yet assigned
Title: System and Methods for Accent Classification and Adapt	tation
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 Petition fee Small entity - fee \$665.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant of 	claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
Other than small entity - fee \$ (37 CFR 1.17(m))	
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Ap	oplication of: Liu et al.	
Applica	tion No: 09/858,334)	Art Unit: 2641
Filed:	May 15, 2001)	Confirmation No.: 2178
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Sir:

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) AND PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), please grant any extension of time that this paper requires but no accompanying paper requests. Also, please charge any additional fee occasioned by this paper, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 06-1448, Reference NSO-009.01.

This is in response to the Office's July 2, 2004, dismissal of the Applicants' April 27, 2004, Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) and Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a). Copies of the dismissal and Applicants' originally filed Petition for Revival are provided herewith for the Office's reference.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(e), Applicants submit a Request for Consideration of Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a), provided herewith, to correct the deficiencies indicated in the dismissal. Applicants note that two additional attempts to contact the non-signing inventor Fung were made, one by Federal Express mail service and one through e-mail, but that the inventor Fung has remained unresponsive. Applicants also note that they were unable, despite diligent efforts, to obtain inventor Fung's home address.

Additionally, to complete Applicants' obligations under 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(c), Applicants' also submit a copy of the declaration signed by the inventor Liu and an Application Data Sheet providing the inventor Liu's home address.

Applicants consider the renewed petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) to be complete and therefore respectfully request reconsideration of the April 27, 2004, Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b).

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 2, 2005
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Application No. 09/858,334

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Filed: May 15, 2001

Attorney Docket No. WIW-009.01

For: SYSTEM AND METHGODS FOR ACCENT

CLASSIFICATION AND ADAPTATION

: DECISION REFUSING STATUS

: UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a) AND : DISMISSAL OF PETITION

: UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) filed April 27, 2004. This is also a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) filed on April 27, 2004.

The petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is dismissed.

The petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is also dismissed.

Any request for reconsideration under this decision must be submitted within TWO (2) MONTHS from the mail date of this decision. Extensions of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) are permitted. Failure to respond will result in the abandonment of this application. Any response should be titled "Request for Reconsideration of Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a) and Petition Under 37 CFR 1.137(b).

The above-identified application became abandoned on September 17, 2001, for failure to timely respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed July 16, 2001. The notice allowed an extendable period of two-month period for response. No response was received within the allowed period and the application became abandoned on September 17, 2001. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on October 23, 2003.

TREATMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

A grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) requires:

- (1) proof that the non-signing inventor(s) cannot be reached or refuses to sign the oath or declaration after having been presented with the application papers (specification, claims, and drawings):
- (2) an acceptable oath or declaration in compliance with 35 U.S.C. §§ 115 and 116;
- (3) the petition fee,
- (4) a statement of the last known address of the non-signing inventor,

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The instant petition lacks item (1) as set forth above.

As to item (1), the statement of the alleged unavailability of the non-signing inventor is not sufficient because it does not demonstrate a level of diligence that is comprehensive, yet reasonable. It appears that petitioner only sought the non-signing inventor at this last known place of employment. There is no indication that petitioner attempted to find a residential address for the non-signing inventor. Further to this point, Section 409.03(d) of the *Manual of Patent Examining Procedure* (MPEP) provides, in pertinent, part that:

Where inability to find or reach a nonsigning inventor "after diligent effort" is the reason for filing under 37 CFR 1.47, a statement of facts should be submitted that fully describes the exact facts which are relied on to establish that a diligent effort was made.

The statement of facts must be signed, where at all possible, by a person having firsthand knowledge of the facts recited therein. Statements based on hearsay will not normally be accepted. Copies of documentary evidence such as internet searches, certified mail return receipts, cover letters of instructions, telegrams, that support a finding that the nonsigning inventor could not be found or reached should be made part of the statement.

The steps taken to locate the whereabouts of the nonsigning inventor should be included statement of facts. It is important that the statement contain facts as opposed to conclusions.

In this case, a sufficient showing of diligence might include searches of the Internet for the non-signing inventor and of the national registry. Any renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) filed must be accompanied by a statement establishing that a diligent effort was made to locate inventor Fung and appropriate documentation corroborating said efforts.

TREATMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

The petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is also dismissed.

Effective December 1, 1997, the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) now provide that where the delay in reply was unintentional, a petition may be filed to revive an abandoned application or a lapsed patent pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b). A grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) must be accompanied by:

- (1) the required reply, unless previously filed. In a non-provisional application abandoned for failure to prosecute, the required reply may be met by the filing of a continuing application. In an application or patent, abandoned or lapsed for failure to pay the issue fee, or any portion thereof, the required reply must be the payment of the issue fee or any outstanding balance thereof.
 - (2) the petition fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m);
 - (3) a statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. The Commissioner may require additional information where there is a question whether the delay was unintentional; and

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(4) any terminal disclaimer (and fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.20(d)) required pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(c).

The instant petition lacks item (1) above.

The Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application required a proper oath or declaration to be filed. Because the declaration filed is missing the signature of inventor Fung and the petition under 36 CFR 1.47(a) was not successful, a proper response to the last Office communication in accordance with 37 CFR 1.137(b) has not been filed. Any renewed 1.137(b) petition filed must be accompanied by a declaration signed by inventor Fung or a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.47.

The Change of Correspondence Address and Docket Number, filed April 27, 2004, is noted, however, the requested change cannot be entered at this time as the request is made by an attorney that does not have proper power of attorney in this application. The declaration filed that appoints the firm of Foley Hoag, LLP is only signed by one of the two named inventors and the petition under 37 CFR 1.47 was not successful. Absent a petition to accept the power of attorney signed by only one of the two name inventors or a declaration executed by inventor Fung, the power of attorney will not be entered and the firm of Foley and Hoag, LLP will not be permitted to make any changes to the correspondence address. Further, the assignee that signed the Power of Attorney, NuSuara Technologies, SDN BHD has not yet been recognized by the Office as an assignee of this application. The assignee is still listed as Weniwen.com, Inc. in Office records. Accordingly, the Power of Attorney executed by the officer of NuSuara will not be entered until such time as NuSuara is established in Office records as an assignee for the application.

Further correspondence with respect to this matter should be addressed as follows:

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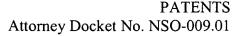
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a)

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) in reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated July 16, 2001 and the Office's July 2, 2004, dismissal of the Applicants' April 27, 2004, Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) and Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a). The Office indicated that the reason for the dismissal was that the Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) did not demonstrate a comprehensive level of diligence to reach the non-signing inventor.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) and MPEP § 409.03(a) and (d), Applicants state the following:

- 1. At the time the inventions of the present application were invented, inventor Fung was employed by Weniwen.com, Inc.
- 2. Applicants' attorney obtained the last known address of inventor Fung from NuSuara Technologies Sdn. Bhd. (NuSuara), which entity is the successor-in-interest to Weniwen.com, Inc.
- 3. Applicants' attorney sought to contact inventor Fung on June 20, 2003. On that date, Applicants' Attorney deposited with DHL Worldwide Express a package addressed to the last known address of inventor Fung. This package included a letter to inventor Fung and a declaration and an assignment for execution by inventor Fung. A copy of the June 20, 2003 letter to inventor Fung is attached as Exhibit A.
- 4. Applicants' attorney received no response from inventor Fung in reply to the June 20, 2003, letter.
- 5. Applicants' attorney sought to contact inventor Fung on January 6, 2004. On that date, Applicants' attorney deposited with DHL Worldwide Express another package addressed to the last known address of inventor Fung. This package also included a letter to inventor Fung and a declaration and an assignment for execution by inventor Fung. A copy of the January 6, 2004, letter to inventor Fung is attached as Exhibit B, and a copy of the DHL Shipment Air Waybill is attached as Exhibit C.
- 6. Applicants' attorney received no response from inventor Fung to the January 6, 2004, letter.
- 7. In an effort to determine inventor Fung's home address, Applicants' attorney performed a search on the on-line PCCW phone directory for Hong Kong. The search, performed on November 29, 2004, identified four (4) persons living in the Hong Kong area whose last name is "Fung", and whose first name begins with the letter "P" (a similar search to identify all persons in the Hong Kong area having the name "Pascale Fung" yielded no matches). A copy of the on-line phone directory search results is attached as Exhibit D. Since Applicants' attorney was not able to determine which, if any, of the persons identified in the search results is inventor Fung, and in view of the confidential nature of the documents requiring inventor Fung's

review and signature, Applicants' attorney could not send those documents to any of the persons identified in the search results.

- 8. On December 13, 2004, Applicants' attorney contacted Weniwen.com's former attorney, Mr. C. George Yu, to determine if Mr. Yu had information about inventor Fung's home address and whereabouts. Mr. Yu advised Applicants' attorney that he did not have any information regarding inventor Fung's whereabouts.
- 9. Since Applicants' attorney was not able to determine inventor's Fung's home address, Applicants' attorney again sought to contact inventor at her work address. A search of the Internet conducted on or about December 14, 2004, located inventor Fung's work homepage. The information on the homepage indicated that inventor Fung is still employed as an assistant professor at the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, and provided inventor Fung's work address. A copy of inventor Fung's work homepage is attached as Exhibit E. On December 20, 2004 Applicants' attorney deposited with Federal Express another package addressed to inventor Fung's work address. This package included a letter to inventor Fung, a declaration and an assignment for execution by inventor Fung, and a copy of the above-identified application. A copy of the December 20, 2004, letter to inventor Fung is attached as Exhibit F, and a copy of the Federal Express shipping receipt is attached as Exhibit G. A copy of an e-mail from Federal Express, confirming that the package was delivered and signed for in Hong Kong on December 23, 2004, is attached as Exhibit H.
- 10. Applicants' attorney received no response from inventor Fung to the December 20, 2004, letter.
- 11. Applicants' attorney sought to contact inventor Fung on January 19, 2005. On that date, Applicants' attorney sent an e-mail communication to the e-mail address listed on inventor Fung's homepage at the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (see Exhibit E).
- 12. The e-mail communication to inventor Fung included, as electronic attachments, a declaration and an assignment for execution by inventor Fung, and a copy of the above-identified application (as well as a more legible re-typed copy of the application). A copy of the January 19, 2005, e-mail communication to inventor Fung is attached as Exhibit I.

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13. Applicants' attorney did not receive any response from inventor Fung to the January 19, 2005, e-mail communication.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) and MPEP § 409.03(a) and (e), Applicants state that the last known address of inventor Pascale Fung is:

Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Clear Water Bay, Kowloon Hong Kong.

In view of the foregoing statements and the accompanying documents, all of which establish Applicants' diligent and extensive effort to locate and contact inventor Fung, Applicants request that the Commissioner grant this Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a).

Applicants' attorney considers this Petition to be complete. Should additional fees be required for consideration of the Petition, Applicants' attorney requests that the additional fees be charged to **Deposit Account No. 06-1448**, **Reference NSO-009.01**. Further, Applicants' attorney hereby authorizes the Commissioner to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 06-1448**, **Reference NSO-009.01**.

Respectfully submitted,

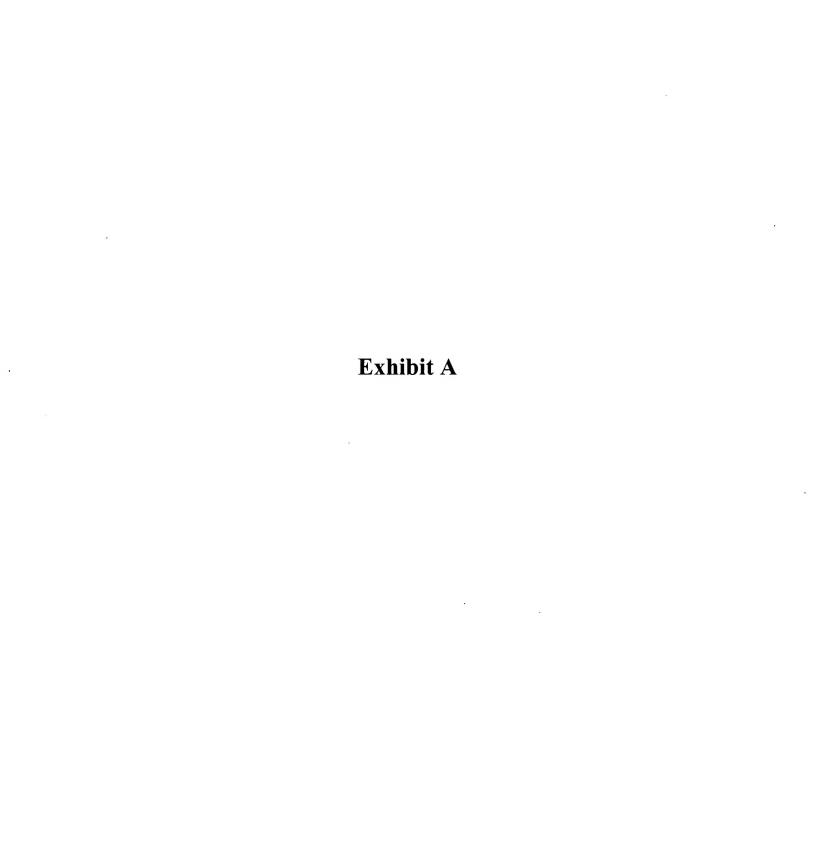
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Via DHL

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Re U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/758,034; 09/758,030; 09/858,334 "System and Method for Utterance Verification of Chinese Long and Short Keywords"; "System and Method for Speech Processing with Limited Training Data"; and "System and Methods for Accent Classification and Adaptation"
Filed: January 9, 2001; January 9, 2001 and May 15, 2001
Our Ref. Nos.: NSO-001.01 (24793-101); NSO-002.01 (24793-201); NSO-009.01 -24793-901)

Dear Mr. Fung:

We represent NuSuara Technologies Sdn. Bhd.

As you may know, NuSuara Technologies recently acquired the above-identified United States patent applications that were previously owned by your former employer, Weniwen, Inc. As you likely know, you are a named inventor on these applications, and should a patent issue, your name will appear as an inventor on the issued patent.

Accordingly to U.S. law, for the subject applications to proceed, two documents must be filed with the U.S. Patent Office. First, each inventor must sign a declaration in which the inventor declares not only his/her status as an inventor, but also recognizes the other named inventors. Second, the inventors must execute assignments in which the patent rights are assigned to the employer at the time the invention was invented, which in this instance, is Weniwen, Inc. Although this may appear to be somewhat strange due to the current status of Weniwen, Inc., please know that we must connect a chain of title between yourself as the inventor, and NuSuara Technologies. That chain of title begins

Pascale Fung June 20, 2003 Page 2

with your employment agreement and your obligation to assign your inventions to Weniwen, Inc.

In accordance with the above, we enclose for your execution (1) Declarations of Inventorship, and, (2) Assignments to Weniwen, Inc. Please sign and date these documents where indicated by the "Sign Here" stickers.

Please also confirm that the listed country of citizenship is correct on the Declaration.

We also enclose for your convenience a return pre-paid DHL envelope. Please place the executed declarations and assignments in the return pre-paid envelope and send the same to us at your earliest convenience by providing the DHL envelope to a DHL office.

We appreciate your prompt attention to this issue. Should you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (617) 832-1241, or by email at koliver@foleyhoag.com.

Very truly yours,

Kevin Oliver

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KAO Enclosures

DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 CFR 1.76)

As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that:							
This declaration is directed	to:						
	The attached application	, or	·				
⊠	Application No. 09/858,3	<u>34</u> , filed on <u>M</u>	lay 15, 2001,				
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I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;							
I/ we have reviewed and claims, as amended by any	I/ we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;						
I/we acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me/us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the National or PCT International filing date of the continuation-in-part application, if applicable; and							
All statements made herein of my/own knowledge are true, all statements made herein on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.							
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ASSIGNMENT

I, Pascale Fung of Kowloon, Hong Kong in consideration of One Dollar and other valuable consideration paid to me by

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a corporation of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 2443 Fillmore, #320, San Francisco, CA 94115, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said

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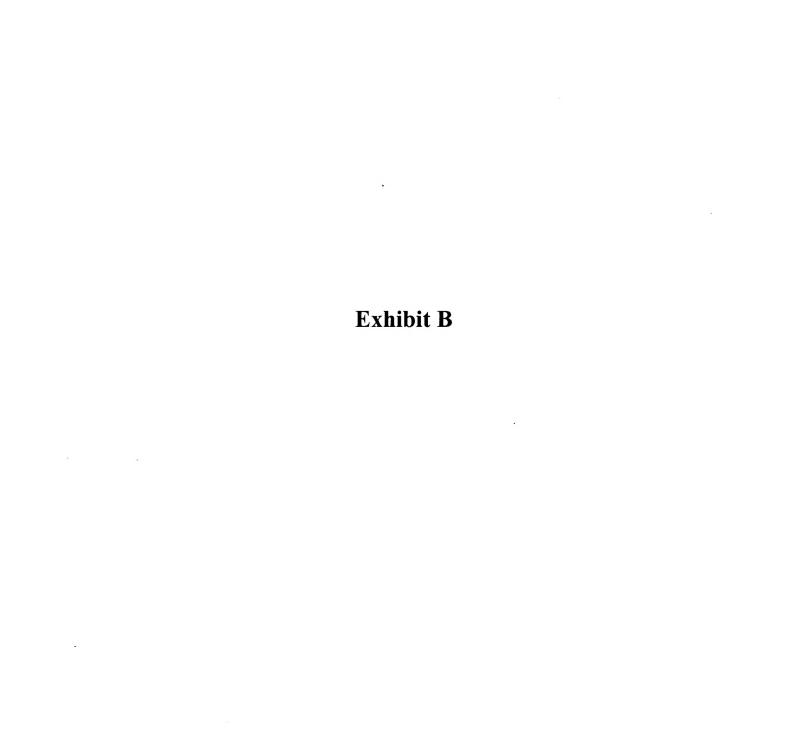
described in an application

■ Filed on May 15, 2001, U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/858,334

in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and in all Letters Patent of the United States and all foreign countries which may or shall be granted on said invention, or any parts thereof, or on said application, or any divisional, continuing, reissue or other applications based in whole or in part thereon. And I agree, for myself and my executors and administrators, with said company and its successors and assigns but at its or their expense and charges, hereafter to execute all applications, amended specifications, deed or other instrument, and to do all acts necessary or proper to secure the grant of Letters Patent in the United States and in all other countries to said company, with specifications and claims in such form as shall be approved by the counsel of said company and to vest and confirm in said company, its successors and assigns, the legal title to all such patents.

And I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue such Letters Patent as shall be granted upon said application or applications based thereon to said company, its successors and assigns.

By:	
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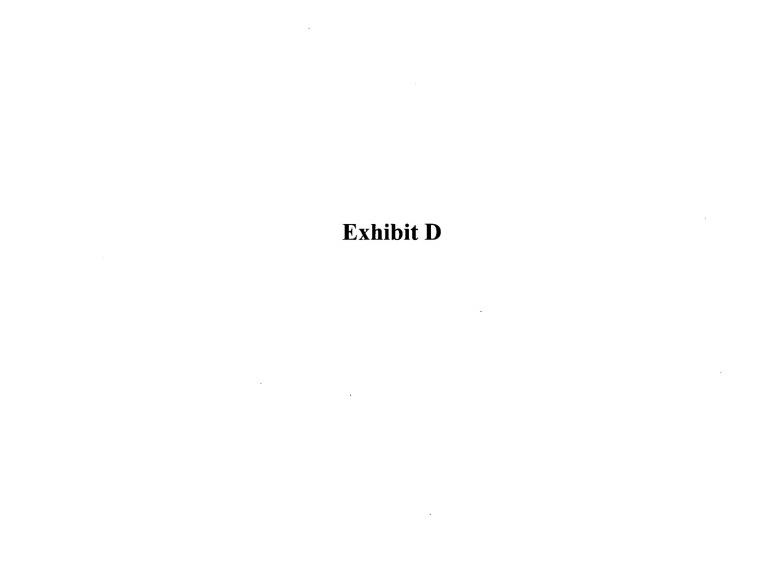
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Recent Activities

Guest Editor, Machine Learning Journal Special Issue on Learning in Speech and Language Tec Area Chair, Annual Meeting of the Association of Computational Linguistics, 2004

Area Chair, Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, 2004

Program Committee, International Symposium on Chinese Spoken Language Processing, 2004

Program Committee, NLE Special Issue on Parallel Texts, 2004

Co-Chair, COLING 2002 WorkShop: SemaNet 2002

Team Leader: Pronunciation Modeling of Mandarin Casual Speech, 2000 Johns Hopkins Summer Casual Speech Spee

Chair, Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, 1999

Research

Dr. Fung's research interests are in the fields of statistical natural language processing and a speech recognition. She is currently working on semantics-driven spoken language translation as information extraction and summarization using feature-based models. She developed word matrix and context vectors to find correspondences between words, terms, and senses using con corpora. The algorithms developed can be applied to multilingual semantic network ali spontaneous query understanding, and bilingual lexicon extraction. She has been worl spontaneous and accented Mandarin speech recognition, by modeling pronunciation variation speaking style and regional accents. She has also been working on robustness issues for teleph noisy speech recognition. In addition to the above, her current research projects include the BiF1 project and the Chinese EARS database project in collaboration with the Linguistic Data Consc the University of Pennsylvania.

Teaching

ELEC211: Signals & Systems (This semester)

ELEC333: Introduction to Digital Speech Recognition

ELEC530: Stochastic Processes

ELEC692I: Spoken Language Processing and Information Retrieval

Biography

Dr. Fung received her PhD in <u>Computer Science</u> from <u>Columbia University</u> in 1997. Her Ph was on bilingual corpus alignment and lexicon extraction from noisy parallel and comparable. While in graduate school at Columbia, Dr Fung was a Member of Technical Staff and later Co at <u>AT&T Bell Labs</u> from 1993 - 1997. She has been a faculty at <u>HKUST</u> since 1997, and co-fou <u>Human Language Technology Center (HLTC)</u>. During her professional leave from 2000-2002, I

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co-founded and became the CTO and CEO of Weniwen Technologies, a multinational c specialized in developing and marketing speech and natural language solutions for inter corporate customers.

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Dr. Fung has served as program committee member and reviewer for numerous inter conferences and technical publications including ACL, EMNLP, COLING, HLT, NAACL, I AMTA, TMI, ISCSLP, Computational Linguistics (journal), Machine Learning (journal), I Translation (journal), IEEE Transaction on Speech and Audio Processing, and the Intersection of Speech Technology and has served as a reviewer for HK Research Grants Council. Senior Member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers, Member of the IEEI Processing Society and the IEEE Computer Society, a Member of the Association of Computational Engineers, and a Board Member of the ACL SIGDAT.

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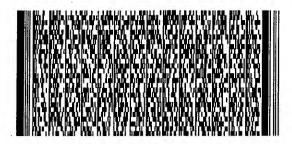
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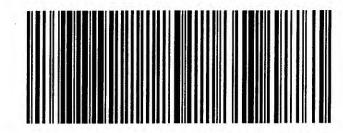
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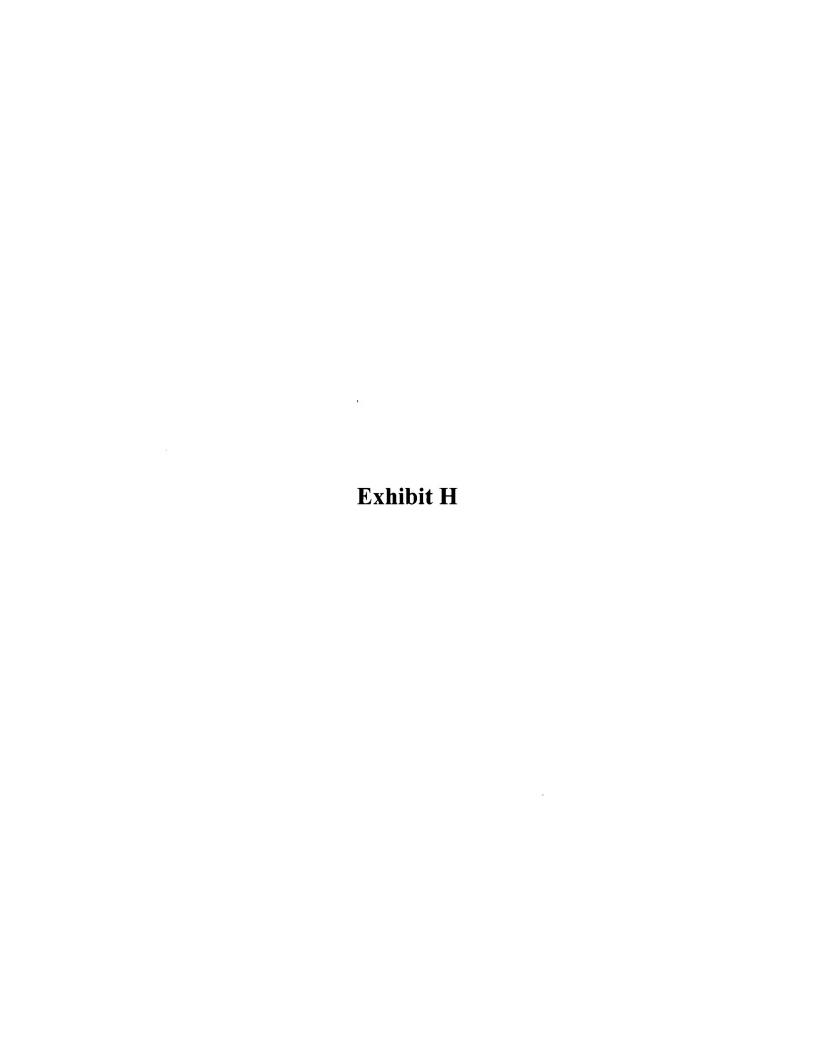
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In accordance with the above, we attach for your execution (1) a copy (in Word and in PDF formats) of the Declarations of Inventorship, and, (2) a copy (also in Word and PDF formats) of the Assignment to Weniwen.com, Inc. If you require that the documents be sent in a different format, please let me know. Please sign and date these documents. After signing the documents, please fax the Declaration and Assignment to us at (617) 832-7000. Please also send the original copies of the executed Declaration and Assignment to the following address.

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We will be happy to reimburse you for any expense that you may incur in forwarding the two documents to us.

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We also attach a PDF copy of the application as filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 15, 2001. Since the text on some of the pages of the copy of the originally filed application that we have in our file was faint at certain parts, thus making those pages somewhat illegible, we have re-typed the entire application, and have attached a PDF copy of it, for your convenience.

We appreciate your prompt attention to this issue. Should you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at

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